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AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed in response to the Office
Action dated April 2, 1996 in the identified application, having
a reply due date of July 2, 1996. Reconsideration and
reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the
amendments and remarks below.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

The first paragraph of the "SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION"
section of the present specification is amended as follows:

In accordance with the present invention, methods
and apparatus are provided for simply and inexpensively
enhancing an electronic audio signal in such a way that the
quality of audible sound produced from the audio signal more
closely approaches that of the original sound as if heard
live in an acoustically designed environment. The present
invention non-linearly distorts the audio signal by
increasing [increases] the amplitude of [enhancing]
selective frequencies or harmonics in the [electronic]
original audio signal such that an enhanced audio signal is

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